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For this section—Rain this afternoon; partly cloudy and colder tonight.

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## BREAK AT GAS PLANT CURTAILS SUPPLY

### Experts From Baltimore Are at Work Repairing Holder

### USE RESERVE HOLDER

**Holder That Gave Way Has Capacity of 145,000 Cubic Feet—Reserve Tank 20,000 Cubic Feet Capacity**

The big holder at the city gas plant is out of commission and as a result gas consumers are experiencing difficulty in getting a full supply of gas for either cooking or illuminating purposes.

The accident happened yesterday afternoon and this afternoon expert gas men from Baltimore came here at the solicitation of Frank W. Latham superintendent of gas, and everything possible is being done to hasten the repairs to the big holder.

This holder has a capacity of 145,000 cubic feet of gas. Practically all of the gas now being received by consumers comes from the reserve holder which has a capacity of 20,000 cubic feet.

Just what caused the big leaks in the holder has not been officially announced. However, the expert will determine the cause and remedy the trouble it is expected.

### HITCHCOCK TO FIGHT BRYAN

**Issue Welcomed, Senator's Campaign Manager Says**

Lincoln, Neb., March 12.—W. J. Bryan's recent statement that if elected a delegate to the Democratic National Convention he would not vote for the Presidential nomination of United States Senator G. M. Hitchcock, has been replied to by J. H. Mithen, manager of a Hitchcock for President club with a statement that Senator Hitchcock's friends "welcome the issue" and "will meet Bryan in every precinct in Nebraska."

Replying to Mr. Bryan's assertion that if Nebraska voters instruct for Senator Hitchcock, he would allow an alternate delegate in the convention to vote in his place, Mr. Mithen said Mr. Bryan had "spent years preaching in favor of instructions and now he asks the people of Nebraska to elect him as delegate and instruct him and then serve notice on them in advance that instructions given him will not be binding."

"He has always taken the position that the rules that govern men's actions do not apply to him," Mr. Mithen added.

Among reasons by Mr. Bryan for his opposition to Senator Hitchcock was that the Senator had voted against submission of the Federal prohibition and suffrage amendment.

### AMERICAN LEGION

The next American Legion dance is to be held in the Elks' Hall, Saturday, March 20th. Invitations are to be sent out in the next day or two, while tickets are obtainable from members and the several drug stores. The two former dances have been so popular, that with the advent of good weather, a record breaking attendance is expected.

A called meeting of the executive committee of the American Legion was held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce the evening of March 10th. Only routine business was transacted.

### ARRANGING PYTHIAN MEETING

Ernest R. Boyer, grand chancellor Knights of Pythias of Virginia, has received a communication from the Hon. M. Clyde Kelly, member of Congress from Pennsylvania, in which he accepts an invitation to visit Oriental Lodge No. 6, of Alexandria, in the near future.

Grand Chancellor Boyer will call several of the Grand Lodge officers together on above occasion, and the event promises to prove a gala occasion for the old lodge of which Justus H. Rathbone the founder of the order, was a member.

### SCORES CLERK'S UNION

**Senator Says Employes Put Allegiance to Labor First**

Washington, March 12.—Members of the Federal Employes' Union were announced as "untrue to their oath of alligance to the government" and accused of putting loyalty to the American Federation of Labor above their obligations as public servants by Senator Myers, of Montana, in the course of debate on the Sterling civil service retirement bill yesterday.

"I am not opposed to the Sterling bill," said Senator Myers, "but I feel that government employes deserve little consideration while they remain affiliated with the American Federation of Labor or any outside organization which frequently brings them in conflict with their oath of allegiance to the government.

"There is no dodging the issue. During the coal strike last fall, which was a dastardly attempt on the part of a clique to impose their will on the country by starving and freezing it, the Federal employes affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, paid their quota of strike benefit dues, although the President and the courts had denounced the strike as little short of treasonable.

"The Federal Employes' Union has a rule which it is difficult to conceive of self-respecting men submitting to. That is that a person once affiliated cannot give up his membership or his union obligations unless he withdraws from Federal service entirely.

### SPLITS OVER WAGE ISSUE

**Operators and Public Representatives Favor 25 Per Cent Raise**

Washington, March 12.—The commission appointed by President Wilson to settle the coal strike has split definitely on the questions of wage increases and hours of work.

The majority—Henry M. Robinson, chairman, representing the public, and Rembrandt Peale, representing the operators, in a report submitted to President Wilson yesterday, is understood to have recommended a general wage advance of approximately 25 per cent and that hours and conditions of labor remain unchanged. This increase includes the 14 per cent granted after the miners returned to work.

John P. White, representing the miners, refuses to concur in this settlement. He is preparing a minority report in which it is reported that he will recommend a seven hour day and a wage increase of approximately 35 per cent.

### INCREASE PAY OF PASTORS

Nashville, Tenn., March 12.—The Centenary commission of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has ordered the disbursement of a fund of more than $400,000 to the underpaid preachers of the denomination.

This is the first annual disbursement from a fund of nearly $5,000,000 which will be used to increase salaries.

The payments will be made through the boards of missions in the various annual conferences throughout the South and West. These boards supervised the work of the mission preachers.

The Centenary commission has had all the missions graded, and a minimum salary of $1,000 per year has been established for married preachers who are members of any conference.

Before the conception of the Centenary movement, 3,943 Southern pastors, of a total of less than 7,000, did not receive this minimum. Of this number, 819 received less than $400 per year, 449 less than $500, while 517 did not receive as much as $600.

The Centenary movement of the Southern Methodist church raised $53,000,000 for missionary work. The disbursement which has been made to the underpaid preachers this year will be repeated annually for five years.

At the end of that period it is believed that all the churches will be strong enough to support their own pastors adequately.

### DON'T FORGET THE DATE!

Thursday, March 18, 1920, New York performers and local talent in the "Century Revue," Westminster Building. Tickets 50 cents, on sale at Timberman's, Gibson's, and Rexall Drug Stores. 61-3c

For results try a classified ad in the Gazette.

## BELIEVE RECOUNT WILL SHOW 21,000

### Conservative Estimate by Citiens Gives Foregoing Population

### MAY ASK FOR RECOUNT

**Big Industrial Plants Here and Annexed Territory Have Brought Many Newcomers—Census Figures Short.**

Conservative estimates made today by representative business men approximate the population of Alexandria from 20,000 to 21,000. This, therefore, would mean that the census figures are at least 3,000 short of the expectations of those who make the estimate.

Steps soon will be taken by the business interests of the city to have a recount. It is pointed out that Alexandria has grown rapidly during the past two or three years. The coming of the plant of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation had added several thousand to the population, including the members of the families of the employees, and the coming of the Alexandria Naval Torpedo Station. It is pointed out that at the present time every rooming house in the city is packed to capacity and there is not a single unoccupied house in the city that is habitable for rent.

Alexandria also had 1148 added to her population when the annexed territory was taken in several years ago.

It is believed that the city council and the Chamber of Commerce will get together on the matter and every effort will be made to have a recount.

The figures given, however, are simply a preliminary report and are subject to correction before the final count is announced. The final figures will show the number of males females, white and colored, and also the number fof manufacturing interests in the city.

Capt. George H. Evans, business manager of the Chamber of Commerce, and J. T. Preston, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, when interviewed today by a representative of the Gazette stated that they felt confident that the total population of the city would reach 20,000 to 21,000 and they added that they thought a recount would show at least this number. It was pointed out by them that the population at one time during the war greatly exceeded 20,000 but that most of these persons were here only during the progress of the war and have now returned to their homes.

### ANNUAL MEETING

**Chamber of Commerce Plans For Tonight**

Members of the Chamber of Commerce are expected to be present promptly at 8 o'clock tonight for the annual business meeting. It is the purpose of the officers to begin promptly on time in order that there may be no delay in the speaking to follow. As heretofore stated in these columns Senator Carter Glass, Representative R. Walton Moore and A. D. Seymour, the last named secretary of the Washington Chamber of Commerce, are scheduled to make addresses. A luncheon will be served and a smoker will follow.

### TORNADO KILLS 11

**Eight Injured in Storm Swept Section of Missouri**

Springfield, Mo., March 12.—Ten persons are known to be dead, one is reported dead, two are missing and eight injured as the result of a tornado which swept through the valley of Turkey Creek near Branson and Hollister, in Taney county yesterday.

Seven of the dead are minor children of Ran and William Box, brothers, living at Melva, a small town five miles south of Branson.

"THE ETERNAL LIGHT"
The Life and Passion of Jesus Christ in moving pictures
Will be presented in Lyceum Hall,
March 16, 3 and 8 p. m.
March 17, 8 p. m.
Admission; Children 15c; Adults 50c

### MEN'S MISSION AT ST. MARY'S

An able sermon on "The General Judgement" was delivered by Rev. John Gipprich, S. J., at the men's mission last night at St. Mary's Catholic Church. The instruction was given by Rev. Patrick H. McHugh, S. J., both of the mission house of South Norwalk, Conn.

A large congregation attended. These services have been attended nightly by large congregations. The services begin each night at 7.45 o'clock.

### INCOME TAX RETURNS

**Only Two More Days Before Time Limit Expires**

Only two more days remain in which to file income taxes. All returns must be in by midnight Monday. The deputies on the second floor of the postoffice building have been rushed during the past weeks, hundreds of persons calling daily to receive assistance in making out their returns.

Those who fail to file returns on time are subject to the imposition of a fine of $1,000 and a tax of twenty-five per cent on the taxable income.

### D. C. DUCKPIN LEAGUE DEFEATS ALEXANDRIA'S

The all-star duckpin team of Alexandria and the Southwest Stars of Washington, played an interesting match game on the Epiphany Chapel alleys at Washington Monday night. Good pin spilling was done by both teams. Washington won on total pins, putting up games of 536,579 and 543 against 518, 569 and 540 for Alexandria. Allen for Washington and Steele for Alexandria rolled highest sets of 372 and 360 respectively. A large crowd of rooters for Washington were an hand, including a good many of the fair sex.

### CIGARETTE GOING IN 1925

Chicago, Ill., March 11.—Abolition of the cigarette in America by 925 is the aim of the International Cigarette League which has been organized as successor to the Anti-Cigarette League, it was announced today.

"Save the girl," is one of the league slogans.

An effort will be made to enlist every girl in Chicago in the "clean life army" on the league.

Miss Lucy Page Gaston, executive superintendent of the organization addressed meetings of Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational ministers in an effort to enlist their aid. A campaign for $100,000 to carry on the league's work will begin soon, according to Miss Gaston.

### FEWER NEGROES GET FLU

**White Race Said to be More Susceptible in Epidemic**

Richmond, March 12.—Records in the office of the Department of Public welfare show that approximately 3,000 cases of influenza were reported to the City Bureau of Health during the influenza epidemic here.

There are 5,322 cases of influenza recorded by physicians in the office of the City Bureau of Health, besides several reported by telephone, and which are thought to be duplicates.

Forty-one white persons in every 1,000 suffered from some form of influenza, the statistics, which Dr. C. C. Levy, Director of Public Welfare, is preparing, show. Only 18 colored persons suffered from influenza in each 1,000.

It is estimated that 80 per cent of the cases of influenza reported were among the white inhabitants, which comprises 63 per cent of the population.

Further, it is found by health officials that only 43 per cent of the influenza cases reported were men.

Boost For
ALEXANDRIA'S
FIRST
COMMUNITY
STYLE SHOW
Wednesday, Thursday,
And Friday,
March 17, 18, 19

## NAME IS CHANGED TO ARLINGTON COUNTY

### Neighbors on North Drop Long-Honored Alexandria

### APPEAL BILL IS LOST

**Both Branches of Legislature Pass Bill For Statewide Education.—Now Goes to People.**

Richmond, Va., March 12.—Among the house bills passed by the senate yesterday without debate was one changing the name of Alexandria County to Arlington County.

The senate committee for courts of justice reported as voting six to three against passage of the bill for appeals to the State Supreme Court as a matter of right. Senator Leedy, one of those voting for it, announced as the committee rose the issue would be fought out on the floor of the senate.

The senate concurred with the house in adoption of a joint resolution providing for State-wide compulsory education. This being the second passage, the proposition now goes to the people for final approval, an amendment to the constitution being necessary.

The senate rejected a resolution amending the constitution making poll tax payments compulsory and delinquent after the first year for nonpayment.

### ADMITS THEFT

**Frostburg, Md., Official Charged With Embezzling $1,000**

Cumberland, Md., March 12.—Clarence S. Wade, until recently assistant postmaster at Frostburg, under Postmaster P. T. McGann, was brought before United States Commisioner Thomas J. Anderson here yesterday afternoon, charged with embezzlement of approximately $1,000 from the Frostburg postoffice funs and with making false reports to the United States Postoffice Department.

Wade pleaded guilty and furnished $500 bond for his appearance before the United States Court.

Wade, who is married, was arrested several days ago on information furnished the Postoffice Department by Inspector Clark M. Mensch. It was discovered that wrong entries were made in May, 1918. It was found that money had been taken from the money order funds for some time previous to that date and that it had continued until recently.

Wade resigned his position following the discovery and was succeeded by William Hanna.

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of my dear father, Richard Mason, who left me two years ago today, March 12, 1918.

Just two years ago dear papa,
Since you have passed away to rest,
Though you are gone, but not forgotten,
By the one who loves you best.
Often my thoughts go wandering,
To the grave not far away,
Where lies the dearest memories
That will never fade away.

By his devoted daughter,
62-1p. Mildred Pettey.

### NOTICE

Post "F" T. P. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting Saturday, March 13th, at 8 p. m., at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. All members and visitors are requested to be present.

62-2c. J. H. Tromyer, Secty

### NOTICE

The partnership heretofore existing between Edwin E. Carver and Charles A. Callahan trading under the name of Carver and Callahan, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Edwin E. Carver,
61-2t. Chas. A. Callahan.

### STRUCK BY AUTO

**Alexis Frye, 8 Years Old, Injured While Near Humphreys By Jitney**

Alexis Frye, eight years old, who lives near Camp Humphreys, was struck and badly injured yesterday afternoon by a jitney bus returning from Camp Humphreys. The jitney was driven by A. Caporaletti, of 822 North Columbus street, this city, who at once reported the affair both to the authorities at Humphreys and also to Chief Goods, of the city police department.

The child sustained a broken leg and a fractured thigh and was treated at the post hospital at Humphreys and this afternoon conveyed to a Washington hospital for treatment.

Frye was returning from school and it is reported that he endeavored to cross the road in front of the approaching machine.

### BOSTON COUPLE DROWNED

**Wealthy Manufacturer Lost When Swept Out to Sea From Miami by Strong Undertow**

Miami, Fla., March 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Seabier, of Boston, Mass. were drowned while swimming four miles north of Miami beach Wednesday when the undertow swept them out to sea. Mr. Seabier was a manufacturer of glue, with factories in Boston.

### SPURIOUS $20 BILL

Washington, March 12.—A new clever counterfeit $20 bill, a Federal Reserve note, has been showing up in large quantities throughout the East the Secret Service announced last night. Official warning has been issued.

The note counterfeited is one of the New York Federal Reserve Bank. The counterfeit is printed on two pieces of fine quality paper, between which silk threads have been distributed. The face of the bill is a photograph, while the back is printed from an etched plate. The figures of the Treasury number are made by hand and excellently executed.

According to the Secret Service the note carries check letter "C" plate number 40, signatures of W. G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, and John Burke, Treasurer of the United States, and the portrait of ex-President Cleveland.

### OPPOSE ANTI-SALOON MEN

"The Tablet," official Catholic paper of the Diocese of Brooklyn says in its issue of yesterday:

"We hereby serve notice on the Republican and Democratic parties in this state in general, and all politicians in particular, that we will strongly oppose any candidate for public office who is indorsed by the Anti-Saloon League or who indorses the league. This is now a recognized anti-Catholic organization in the state, and in self-defense we shall retaliate on any one, any society, or any political party that permits itself to affiliate with this anti-American and anti-Catholic campaign."

### RESOLUTIONS

"Introduced by M. B. Thompson
Be it Resolved by the officers and members of George Washington Lodge No. 191, B. R. C., in regular session assembled that we do hereby commend Senator Claude A. Swanson and Representative Bland for their stand against the Cummins-Esch bill.

"Be it further Resolved that all organized labor and the farmers of Virginia be urged to use their influence and vote against all candidates for Congress and the United States Senate who voted for the Cummins-Esch bill.

"Be it further Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Senator Swanson and Representative Bland.

Be it further Resolved that these resolutions be published in the Alexandria Gazette."

"Signed, M. B. Thompson."

62-1c.

### FORD OWNERS

**Out Motto—"If it was done at Remschels! it must be done right."**

62-tf.

### NOTICE

The skating rink will reopen tonight at Armory Hall. Admission including skates, gentlemen, 37 cents; ladies, 27 cents. 62-3c

## HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

The second degree of the order will be conferred tonight by Potomac Lodge No. 38, Odd Fellows on a large class of candidates. On this occassion Col. Charles Polig, department commander, Patriarchs Militant, will pay a visit to the lodge.

No attention is paid to anonymous communications. One signed "Citizen" received today would have been used had the name of the writer been sent in.

Maury W. Gaines has purchased from Mrs. Maria Marshall and others the store dwelling on the south side of King between Pitt and Royal streets, now occupied by Mr. Gaines for his shoe busines. A deed of transfer was recorded today.

Mr. Paul Henley of Spartanburg, S. C., entertained a number of his frineds last night at the residence of Mrs. Frederick Garvey. Among those who attended were Misses. Mildred and Catherine Ewald, Mr. John Ewald Mr. Albert Elliott and a number of out of town guests.

### 125 ARE INDICTED

**Conspired to Raise Price of Fuel in Violation of Lever Act**

Indianapolis, Ind., March 12.—An indictment charging conspiracy in violation of the Lever Fuel Control act and the Federal criminal code, naming 125 coal operators and miners as defendants, was returned in the Federal Court here late yesterday by a special grand jury which has been investigating the coal industry since December 17, 1919. More than half of the defendants are operators, it is said.

Bond was fixed by United States District Judge A. B. Anderson, at $10,000 in some of the cases, and at $50,000 in others. The defendants will be arraigned on May 4. Names of those indicted will not be made public until they are arrested.

The overt acts are charged against the coal men in the indictment, which contains eighteen counts. It is understood that many of the violations charged have no connection with the strike of bituminous miners, but occurred prior to the signing of the armistice.

The indictment was brought under Sections Four and Nine of the Lever Act and Section Thirty-seven of the Criminal Code and charged in general, that miners and operators conspired to enhance the price of necessaries by restricting distribution, limiting manufacture and by other means, and by conspiring to commit offenses against the United States as designed in the Criminal Code. The penalty on conviction is fine not exceeding $10,000 imprisonment for not more than two years, or both fine and imprisonment.

### PROCLAIMS INDEPENDENCE; SEEK TO FORCE RECOGNITION

The Syrian Congress at Damascus has declared Syria to be an independent state. There were fireworks last night, and Beirut celebrated its independence. It is reported that Prince Feisal, son of the King of the Medjaz, will be crowned King of Syria.

Palestine, Lebanon and northern Mesopotamia are included in the districts where the Arabs are voting freely, apparently with the purpose of forcing the peace conference to recognize, Syria, under a threat of cooperation with the Turkish nationalists if independence is refused them.

The Arabs claim to have 100,000 troops ready to cooperate with the Turks in Cilicia and Anatolia. Apparently, they are willing to accept French advisers.

### MINE UNDER CEMETERY

Cumberland, Md., March 12.—Bodies of early Connellsville settlers are being removed from the old Trinity Episcopal graveyard to other cemeteries.

Coal underlying the old cemetery has been sold for $7,000 an acre.

### NOTICE

Fresh country eggs, from Valley of Virginia, for tomorrow, 48 cents per dozen. F. C. PULLIN, corner Queen and Royal streets. 62-1c

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## CENSUS DISAPPOINTING

The announcement in the Gazette yesterday that the census of 1920 shows that the population of Alexandria has increased but 2,731 during the past decade sent a chill over the old city, as it was generally assumed that the figures this year would make it clear that Alexandria has almost doubled its population since 1910. But our figures were official, they were given out by the Census Bureau, and, according to the old saying, figures cannot lie. But census enumerators may not be careful gleaners; they are liable to overlook much, like other mortals.

It will be recalled that in 1910 after the census of that year had been taken, it was shown that Alexandria had gained but slightly in population, since 1900, and the City School Board having been informed by the State Board of Education that the amount of money generally donated to this city for educational purposes would be curtailed as the number of children of school age in Alexandria was not sufficient to warrant the amount we expected from the school fund, the School Board in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce had another census taken when it was shown that many children of school age had been omitted in the census taken by the government.

It seems incredible when we consider that about three thousand men a large percentage with families have mingled with our community since the establishment of the plant of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, together with apparently thousands of others which have been brought here by the increase in the commercial importance of Alexandria, that the census figures show an increase of less than three thousand in population.

It is true but comparatively few new houses ahve been erected but virtually every habitable dwelling is occupied, while the demand for housing is becoming more urgent all the time. It should also be remembered that the area of Alexandria is double the size it was in 1910, caused by the annexation of parts of Fairfax and Alexandria counties.

With no intention of impugning the census enumerators, it may be suggested that no one is infallible. These officials are likely to overlook much which seems apparent to us. In this connection it may be stated that one entire section of Cumberland, Md., was missed in the census enumeration and discovered only after the returns had been forwarded to Washington as the complete tabulation of that city's population.

If it were not for the fact that Harry T. Mullin, who had been asked to check up the work of the enumerators, discovered the mistake and insisted upon it being rectified, a large section would have been omitted in the 1920 census. This block included a large portion of the western part of the city.

What has happened in Cumberland is liable to have happened in Alexandria.

## THE TRUE KEY NOTE

A union of government and church took place yesterday afternoon in the office of the special assistant attorney general in charge of the government's anti-high price campaign when a number of clergymen representing religious denominations of the capital city were called into conference to discuss ways and means for advancing the government's program. A number of plans looking toward lowering the present high cost of living were presented, one of which was the following: "Run the home on an efficiency basis."

With all our theories and suggestions, the above is the lever which will eventually raise from its pedestal the defiant effigy of the high cost of living. The family larder is becoming more expensive every day, and the good woman who presides over the household should buy wisely, not too sparingly, but she should be assured that whatever is ordered will be used, nothing wasted. The Great Being who could feed five thousand by his ipsi dixit was careful to have the fragments conserved, that nothing should go to waste. Is this command being obeyed in this day of abundance of work at the highest pay known in the world's history? In many cases we think not.

Many years ago, after France had passed through one of its great crises, a discharged French soldier was walking the streets of Paris soliloquising. He was not a resident of the capital city, but he desired to remain there. He had no trade, having been reared in one of the rural sections. While in a cafe he noticed that many crusts of bread were left by guests, and upon making inquiry he was told that these fragments were cast into the garbage cans. After paying for his meal he told the proprietor he was convinced he could use these discarded particles, and he entered into a contract with the boniface to take all such fragments at a nominal price. The soldier carried bags of crusts to a place where he subsequently placed an oven, in which he toasted them. After grinding the bits he placed them in small paper bags, obtained the names and addresses of persons who had canary birds and sold the packages as food for the same. His trade soon expanded, and within a year or two he had a monopoly of the business he having contracts with virtually all the hotels and cafes of the city for their discarded bread crusts. The enterprising soldier by this time had a number of persons employed, and at the time of his death he was one of the most wealthy citizens of Paris.

## NEWPORT NEWS BANK

### Directors Reported Ready to Put up $175.000 Toward Colonial State's Rehabilitation

Newport News, Va., March 12.—With a grand jury probing the failure of the Colonial State Bank here Wednesday, representatives of officers and directors of the defunct institution held a conference with a committee of depositors for the discussion of a reorganization plan.

D. L. Flory submitted a plan which called for the depositors now having funds in the bank to underwrite a sinking fund which is designed to take care of any paper now outstanding that may prove faulty. The depositors and directors later submitted the offered plan to W. C. Stuart, attorney for the depositors' committee, who will examine it in detail and report as to its legality at a future meeting. No definte date was fixed for the meeting, but the attorney promised he would call the delegation together again as soon as he had reached a decision which would be in a few days.

At the meeting last night it was announced that the directors of the bank are ready to put up $175,000, which it is believed will meet any outstanding obligations, providing the plan meets with the approval of proper officials.

Counsel for the depositors declares that it will take at least $400,000 to take the bank out of the hands of the receiver and put it back on a sound financial basis.

For results try a classified ad in the Gazette.

## TIRED, BODY AND SOUL?

**Not Sick, But Still Not Yourself. Think You'll Be Better Tomorrow—Only You're No**

**Try Taking Pepto-Mangan. It Isn't Sleep You Need, But a Good Tonic—More Red Blood**

Everyone gets run down occasionally. Sometimes it's weeks before you get your energy, enthusiasm and happiness back again.

Any doctor will tell you to be careful in a time like this. Your body has little power of resistance, and the danger of catching some serious disease is great. Temporarily, your blood has too few "fighting" corpuscles.

It's the work of these same red corpuscles to keep you free from fatigue. Being constantly tired out—depressed in body and mind—is almost a sure sign that your blood needs help for a time.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan is a standard remedy in cases of anemia (or bloodlessness). It supplies the iron and other properties your blood needs to catch up with its task of keeping you fresh and alert in every fibre.

Pepto-Mangan has the hearty endorsement of physicians, is an agreeable tonic to take, and may be had at any drug store in either liquid or tablet form. Both have same medicinal value.

Be sure to ask for Gude's. There is only one genuine Pepto-Mangan, and the name "Gude's" should be on the package.

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We have just received the initial shipment of these dresses and they are now on display in our store. Come in and see them today, as we will begin moving into our new store within a few days.

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**NOTARY PUBLIC**

## VIRGINIA NEWS

The management of the Chamberlin Hotel at Old Point, announce that a complete check of its records convinces them that no one was lost in the fire which destroyed the famous resort last Sunday. Workmen are clearing away the debris. The Chamberlin was valued at $2,000,000 and the insurance was only $350,000, according to the management. Reports from Washington are to the effect that the War Department will oppose rebuilding of the hotel, stating that the site is needed for coast defense purposes. Private capital of Newport News, Hampton and Old Point has signified its willingness to take stock if the hotel is to be rebuilt.

By a vote of 25 to 11 late Wednesday the State Senate agreed to the joint resolution wiping from the State constitution all limitations as to the ages within which children may be compelled to attend school and leaving the latter to the discretion of the general assembly.

On motion of Senator Holt, the Senate adopted Wednesday a joint resolution sent over from the House of Delegates, providing for the appointment by each member of the General Assembly of two boys to the Merchant Marine Training School at Newport News. The boys will be trained from four to six months, receiving board, clothing, and doctor's bills free and $30 per month.

The destroyer Graham, recently completed at the plant of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, made a little better than 36 knots an hour on her trial runs. Thirty-six knots is a little better than forty-two miles an hour.

Delegate R. Lindsay, Gordon, of Louisa ,once more introduced a joint resolution in the House of Delegates this week providing for the election of Supreme Court judges by the people and, once more, the measure was voted down, this time, 40 to 45. The delegates from Louisa has introduced a similar resolution at every session of the General Assembly to which he has been a member, dating back to 1912. Mr. Gordon's resolution providing for election of Circuit Court judges by the people also fell by the wayside, 40 to 35. Another Gordan measure, prescribing the initiative and referendum on all general laws, was snowed under, the vote being 12 to 59.

The convent of Villa Maria, Wytheville, was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday, The fire was located in the upper story of the building about 6 o'clock, and so rapid was its progress, that in two hours there was nothing left of the building but smouldering ruins. It is not known how the fire originated, but it is thought to have caught from an electric wire. The most of the furniture was saved but in a damaged condition. The contractors, who put up the building several years ago, said that it would take $100,000 to replace it under present conditions. There is said to have been a very small amount of insurance.


## DYE OLD, SHABBY OR FADED FROCK

**"Diamond Dyes" Make Used Apparel Stylish and New**

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes" guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods,—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings.

The Direction Book with each package tells so plainly how to diamond dye over any color that you can not make a mistake.

To match any material, have druggist show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

## CALOMEL DYING FAST IN SOUTH

**"Dodson's Liver Tone" is Taking the Place of 'Dangerous Sickening Drug**

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start your liver and clean your bowels.

Here's Dodson's guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate so let them eat anything after wards.

Alexandria's Greatest Event

# STYLE SHOW

MARCH 17-18-19

**APRON GINGHAMS**
Limited 10 yards to any customer, standard brands, different size checks worth up to 49c, special .. 33c

**LONG CLOTH**
In 10 yard pieces. Regular price 49c. Tomorrow in limited lots to a customer, at a yard ..... 35c

## Bendheim's

**SKIRT PLAIDS**
New black and white plaids regular $1.75, special .. $1.19

**TRICOTINE**
All wool fine tricotine, 54 inches wide in navy, plum and black, special ..... $4.50

# SATURDAY'S PROFIT SHARING ITEMS

## Easter Suits

FEW PEOPLE SEEM TO REALIZE THE NEARNESS OF EASTER. THIS YEAR IT COMES ON APRIL 4th, THEREFORE THE USUAL RUSH FOR SUITS CAN BE EXPECTED TO START TOMORROW.

### We are Prepared to Meet Your Wants

By presenting for your selection smart tailored suits in tricotine, tweed and serge. Boosting high quality silk linings, wonderful fabric and unexcelled workmanship.

TUXEDO EFFECTS AE MUCH IN EVIDENCE
A VERY GRATIFYING VARIETY OF SNAPPY STYLES

**$39.50 to $110.**

## New Dresses

Milady's every mood and every whim and fancy of the moment find eloquent expression in this fascinating group of daring taffeta models, georgettes and tricotines expressing individuality with clever draperies, floating panels and Turkish hems.

ON DISPLAY SECOND FLOOR

**TABLE DAMASK**
A wonderful quality, 72 inches wide, regular price $1.69, special tomorrow $1.39

**WOOL SKIRTING**
Wonderful patterns in all wool plaids worth wholesale today at price we retail $7.50 and $8.50

**SHEETS**
The world's famous Curity sheets, 81x90, regular price $3.50 considered by many the best on the market $2.98

**NEW VOILES**
Our display represents the markets finest designs, wonderful patterns in new fancies, floral designs and the most popular georgette patterns, a color range that is amazing.
69c, 98c, $1.50 and $1.98

**BUNGALOW APRONS**
In dark or light percales, big roomy garments splendidly made of fine count percale, worth $2.50 special ..... $1.50

**SATEEN PETTICOATS**
A wonderful quality of sateen is used, well made, cut full, all sizes, including extra sizes, special $2.39

**PEARL BEADS**
A fine selection of pearl neck beads so much in demand for the dark taffeta dresses, specially priced tomorrow ..... $1.00

**5,000 HANDKERCHIEFS**
Women's fine handkerchiefs plain, embroidered or colored borders worth 25c each, special .. 15c

## Hosiery Specials

Ladies full fashion silk hose in black and white, special .... $3.50

Ladies full fashion silk hose in black and white, special .... $2.50

Ladies full fashion embro silk hose, black with white and white with black, special at ..... $2.98

Ladies Radmoor silk hose in black and cordovan, special .. $2.50

Ladies mock fashion hose in navy, black, white and cordovan, special ..... $1.75

Ladies fine quality lisle hose, black only, special ..... 89c

Ladies lisle hose with seam, black and cordovan, special .. 59c

Children's fine rib hose, black and white, special .... 39c and 49c

## New Cretonnes

Without doubt the biggest and finest selection to be found in Alexandria, at prices that you can't resist. Dark or light grounds. Dainty tints, broken designs and bold floral patterns, selection large enough to match any color scheme.

**69c to $2.50**

### We Invite You

To attend the **opening of Alexandria's Big Style Show**, making this store your headquarters.

### Our Programme

WILL BE ANNOUNCED MONDAY IN THE GAZETTE. WE PROMISE ALL OUR PATRONS AN INTERESTING, ENJOYABLE AND PROFITABLE TIME.

## New Dress Ginghams

Our stocks of new plaids are simply wonderful. Beautiful patterns that permit of the making of wonderful and attractive dresses. Dainty small checks in a variety of novelty effects, bolder plaids with a distinctive charm, specially price starting at

**49c**

## $2.50 Voile Waists

We again offer you a splendid selection of these dainty voile waists at ..... $1.49

## Sale of Clever Blouses

Crepe de chine waists, odd garments of our regular stock that sells regularly $6.95, $8.50, $9.98 and up to $12.98 at— $5.25, $7.25, $8.25 and $9.95

Georgette waists, all waists that sizes are broken, all snappy models, specially reduced for tomorrow only.

New short sleeve georgette blouses in flesh, white, bisque, peach and grey. The prettiest blouses designed this season, special ..... $10.98

# THE MARKET BASKET PAGE

## Alexandria Cash Grocery

**Southwest Corner King and Washington Streets**

**An Alexandria Enterprise Owned and Operated by Frank B. Howard**

A complete stock of fancy groceries, fresh fruits and dressed poultry, country butter and fresh eggs.

### Saturday's Specials

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| **300 Dozen New Laid Eggs, Received Today From the Valley, per doz.** | **52c** |
| **Large Sweet Florida Oranges, per doz.** | **45c** |
| **Florida Grape Fruit, large, 3 for** | **25c** |
| **Home Dressed Chickens, pound** | **41c** |
| **Pure Lard, pound** | **26c** |
| **Hood River Newtown Pippin Apples, 1-4 peck** | **30c** |
| **Top Notch Margarine, pound** | **43c** |

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| New York State White Mealy Potatoes, pk. | 80c | Fat White Mackerel, each | 10c |
| Virginia Potatoes, pk. | 65c | Large Can Tomatoes | 15c |
| 12 lb. sack best Patent Flour | 85c | Fancy New Crop Lemons, doz. | 20c |
| Kelloggs Corn Flakes | 12c | Full cream Cheese, pound | 38c |
| Corn Meal, pk. | 54c | Swans Down Cake Flour 2 3-4 lb. packages | 35c |
| 1 lb. cans Crisco | 34c | 2 cans Corn | 25c |
| Fresh Creamery Butter pound | 72c | Nut Margarine | 33c |
| Navy Beans pound | 10c | Lima Beans, pound | 16c |

**National Biscuit Co. pkg. Cakes and Crackers ..... 7c and 15c**

**Banquet Coffee Special Price Per Pound - - 40c**

It is pleasing our most hard to please coffee drinkers. It is composed of five heavy and mild coffees, skillfully blended in such proportions as to produce a thick smooth, and fine flavored coffee. Fresh roasted and ground daily, try one pound on your next order.

## ALLEN BROS.

**1301 KING STREET** **COR. WOLFE AND FAIRFAX STS.**

**When you plan your Sunday dinner it is to your best interests to buy where you can get the best at the lowest prices.**

### Specials for Saturday

Elgin Creamery Butter, lb. .... 68c  Fresh Country Eggs, dozen .... 39c

Fancy Home Dressed Chickens for Baking or Stewing, per lb. ..... 42c

**BEEF** Extra Good Quality

Porterhouse .. Round ..... Sirloin ..... **27c lb.**

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|---|---|
| Good Tender Steak | 25c |
| Chuck Roast (bone out), lb. | 20c |
| Shoulder Clod, Bouillon, lb. | 23c |
| Three Corner, lb. | 23c |
| Prime Rib Roast, lb. | 25c |
| Hamburger Steak, lb. | 20c |
| Beef Liver, 2 lbs. for | 25c |
| Stew Beef, plate or brisket, lb. | 13c |

**VEAL** Milk-Fed Best Quality

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|---|---|
| Veal Cutlets, lb. | 45c |
| Loin and Rib Chops, lb. | 35c |
| Shoulder Chops, lb. | 30c |
| Shoulder Roast of Veal, lb. | 30c |
| Boneless Breast of Veal, lb. | 25c |
| Loin Roast, with kidney | 30c |

**Other Special Cuts on Sale**

**Fruits & Produce**

Fruits and vegetables on sale at lowest prices

**PORK** From Choicest Young Pork

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|---|---|
| Loin and Rib Chops | 35c |
| Fresh Hams, 7 to 9 lbs. | 34c |
| Fresh Shoulders, lb. | 28c |
| Lean Fresh Pork Roast, boneless | 28c |
| Linked Pork Sausage | 30c |
| 100 per cent pure pork sausage meat, lb. | 33c |
| Pork Puddings | 20c |
| Compound Lard, lb. | 25c |
| Pure Hog Lard, open kettle, lb. | 26c |

**LAMB**

Choice Spring Lamb

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|---|---|
| Leg of Lamb | 33c |
| Shoulder Roast | 28c |
| Loin and Rib Chops | 35c |
| Shoulder Chops | 30c |
| Breast of Lamb | 18c |

**Smoked Meats**

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|---|---|
| Smoked Hams, 6 to 9 lbs. | 33c |
| Smoked Shoulders, lb, small and lean | 23c |
| Smoked Sausage, lb. | 25c |
| Boneless Breakfast Bacon, sliced | 40c |
| Boneless Breakfast Bacon, piece | 35c |
| Dry Salt Butts, lb. | 22c |

## ALLEN BROS.

**Cor. King and Payne Streets**

### SALE BY THE NAVY

**Wooden Buildings, Naval Proving Ground, Indian Head, Maryland**

The Navy will place on sale by sealed proposals to be opened by the Supply Officer, Naval Proving Grounds, Indian Head, Md., at 2 p. m. 15 March, 1920, 12 wooden buildings as follows:

2 Buildings wooden, Barracks, 20x 20, approximate height 10 feet.

1 Building wooden, 16x24, approximate height 10 feet

1 Building wooden, 19x36, approximate height 10 feet.

1 Building wooden, 10x6, approximate height 9 feet.

1 Building wooden, 10x12, approximate height 10 feet.

3 Buildings wooden, 33x19, approximate height 10 feet.

1 Building wooden, 96x30, approximate height 10 feet.

1 Building wooden, 10x16 approximate height 10 feet.

Most of these buildings are equipped with metal roof ventilators and consist of outside sheating covered with tar paper on studs. The sale will be for cash to the highest bidder. No bids for parts of lots will be considered. A deposit of 20 per cent of total amount of bid is required. The NAVY retains the right to reject all bids.

Further information and ontalog of sale may be obtained from the Supply Officer, Naval Proving Ground, Indian Head, Md. JOSEPHUS DANIELS, Secretary of the Navy.

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Try a pound of Top Notch Oleomargarine. It is the peer of all substitutes for butter.

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| Evaporated Milk, small can | 6½c | Mazola Oil, qt. | 70c |
| Evaporated Milk, large can | 13½c | Spinach, large can | 15c |
| Golden Age Macaronii, 3 pkgs. | 25c | Navy Beans, qt. | 20c |
| Blue Ribbon Peaches, pkg. | 23c | Grape Juice, qt. | 65c |
| Self Rising Buckwheat, pkg. | 10c | Del Monte Jam, 13 oz. can | 20c |
| Shredded Codfish, pkg. | 10c | Hipolite Marshmallow Creme | 23c |

**STRICTLY FRESH COUNTRY EGGS, doz. ..... 55c**

## New Quality Meat Stand

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## Stand 29, City Market

**Select grades of meat, the best to be found on the market are here at the lowest cash prices.**

**Buy your Sunday dinner meats here tomorrow and you are sure of pleasing yourself, your family and your friends.**

**Special for Saturday, Good Steak - Per lb. 25c**

### Steaks

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|---|---|
| Porterhouse, lb. | 28c |
| Sirloin, lb. | 28c |
| Round, lb. | 28c |

### Beef Roasts

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|---|---|
| Chuck roast, lb. | 20c |
| Rib roast, lb. | 23c |
| Bouillion, lb. | 22c |
| Clod Roast, lb. | 22c |
| Top Rib roast, lb. | 22c |
| Plate Beef, lb. | 12½c |

### Lamb Roasts

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|---|---|
| Leg of Lamb, lb | 38c |
| Shoulder Lamb, lb. | 28c |
| Breast of Lamb, lb. | 20c |

### Veal Roasts

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|---|---|
| Leg of Veal, lb. | 35c |
| Loin of Veal, lb. | 35c |
| Shoulder of Veal, lb. | 33c |
| Boneless Breast of Veal, lb. | 28c |

### Lamb Chops

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|---|---|
| Loin Chops, lb. | 40c |
| Rib Chops, lb. | 40c |
| Shoulder Chops, lb. | 35c |

### Veal Chops

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|---|---|
| Cutlets, lb. | 45c |
| Rib Chops, lb. | 38c |
| Loin Chops, lb. | 38c |
| Shoulder Chops | 35c |

### Pork Chops and Roast

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|---|---|
| Loin Chops, lb. | 35c |
| Rib Chops, lb | 35c |
| Shoulder Chops, lb. | 30c |
| Pork Roast, lb. | 33c |

**Salt Meats of All Kinds**

### Smoked Meats

| | |
|---|---|
| Bacon, in piece, lb. | 35c |
| Bacon, sliced, lb. | 40c |
| Smoked shoulder, lb. | 23c |
| Smoked hams, lb. | 33c |

**Pure Lard, The Best the Market Affords - Per lb. 28c**

**Don't Forget the Number Stand 29 Alexandria City Market**

### ALLEGED POKER "SHARK"

**Wealthy Manufacturer Said to Have Won $350,000 by Use of "Readers" in "Fast" Games**

New York, March 11.—A warrant has been issued here for the arrest of Louis Krohnberg, wealthy manufacturer, on a charge that he "did by fraud and false pretense, while playing at a card game commonly called poker," win a huge sum from Jacob Suverman.

The warrant followed a lengthy investigation into a series of "fast" games in which Krohnberg, by use of "readers," is alleged to have won $350,000. Some of the games were played at the home of Joseph Scheneck, husband of Norma Talmadge, the movie actress. Krohnberg was thrown out of Scheneck's home when it was found he introduced the "queer cards," it is alleged. Pots in these games frequently ran very high, according to the testimony. One mentioned contained $175,000.

### GEM THIEVES SOUGHT

**Police Hunt Daring Robbers in Criminal Haunts of Capital**

Washington, March 11.—The trail of the five bandits who on Tuesday robbed a Baltimore jewerly shop of more than $25,000 worth of diamonds has led to Washington, according to dispatches from that city today.

Traced from Baltimore after the daring daylight robbery to Havre de Grace, the bandits are alleged to have purchased tickets there for the Capital.

Headquarters detectives, including those detailed at the Union Station, have been given a description of the highwaymen and every haunt of thieves in the District today is being covered in the hope that the robbers will turn up.

With the photographs of three of the five bandits having been identified at the rogues' gallery of the Baltimore police department by pedestrians who were held at bay at the point of revolvers by the bandits when they made their escape after looting the jewelry shop, the Baltimore police have every confidence that some of the gang will be captured.

### ASKED TO SEND TROOPS

**American Forces Needed to Protect Armenians, Says London Paper**

London, March 12.—The occupation of Constantinople by allied troops will be carried out at once, and the United States has been urged to participate for the protection of Armenians, the Daily Chronicle states.

The allied plans in Turkey were thus outlined by the Daily Chronicle.

"The occupation of Constantinople will be put in effect immediately. It will consist, at present, of posting allied contingents at strategic points throughout the city on both sides of the Golden Horn.

"The allies have enough troops on the spot to put these measures into effect.

"The American Government has been urged to participate in the measures for the protection of the Armenians."

The Daily Mail says it is possible a Greek army may be used to round up the nationalist army under Mustapha Kemal Pasha, in Thrace.

According to the Daily Telegragh the Supreme Council has ordered both naval and military occupation of a number of strategic points in both European and Asiatic Turkey.

### DIVORCE THIRTEENTH TIME

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, March 12.—Mrs. Alice L. Yocum, of this county, has obtained a divorce from her husband, John R. Yocum, at Boone, Iowa.

This is the thirteenth time she has been divorced, her attorney says, since she began her pilgrimages into the realm of "deathless love." Two divorces were obtained here.

### PETERS IS CLEARED

Richmond, Va., March 12.—Prohibition Commissioner Peters was given practically a clean bill yesterday by the legislative committee named recently to inquire into the conduct of his department. It was recited that no actual charges had been preferred against him and that his accounts had been found in correct shape.

The data presented to the committee by Delegate Felts relative to the clash between Dr. Peters and officers of Tazewell County was not considered in the light of a charge and apparently the committee did not consider his statements seriously.

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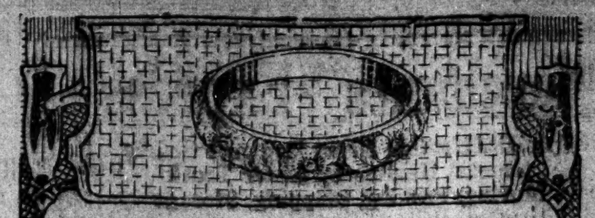

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WEDDING Rings, like other jewelry, are changing in style. While the narrow plain band of pure gold is still the mainstay many are now using the carved designs and platinum effects of newer design. Diamond Set Rings are also in vogue.

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A very desirable seven room brick house on 228 North Royal Street. This property has all latest improvements, furnace, gas, bath, laundry, range and is in an excellent condition. Rooms newly painted. A bargain at $5000.

Del Ray a new five room bungalow. This house has all modern improvements and garage. Can be bought on monthly payments.

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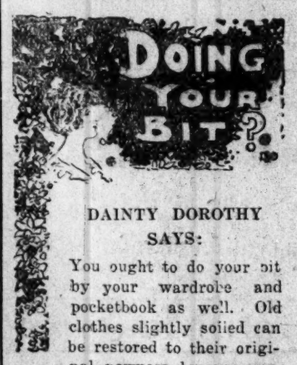


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Phone 432

Real Estate of Every Description
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## MORE WORK; LESS TALK

**War Time Oratory Still Going on Governor Tells Grocers' Association**

Harrisburg, Pa., March 12.—Governor William C. Sproul yesterday declared in an address to the Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware Wholesale Grocers' Association that there was too much talk and not enough work going on at present.

"The American people learned to talk during the war drives and some of them haven't stopped. But America has not been swept off its feet," remarked the Governor, "We have been getting along all right this year and will continue to get along. Taxes are high, but you have the money to pay them, most of you are making more money than you ever made in your lives before. There's been a lot of talk about hard times, but not enough work to avoid the rough spots."


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South — North

New York-Memphis
3.25 a. m... (Via Bristol) ..12.13 a. m
Washington-Danville
7.37 a. m..... (Local) ....3.18 p. m.
New York-New Orleans
8.47 a. m... (Via Atlanta) .. 11.58 p. m.
.07 a. m. Wash.-Harrisonburg 9.13 p. m.
Washington-Atlanta
9.37 a. m... (Coaches) ..11.13 p. m.
Washington-Memphis
2.27 p. m... (Via Bristol) ..4.53 p. m.
Washington-Birmingham
3.17 p. m... (Via Atlanta) ..12 03 p. m.
.12 p. m. Wash.-Harrisonburg 11.03 a.m.
Washington-Charlottesville
5.22 p m .... (Local) .... 10.58 a. m.
Washington-Warrenton
5.22 p. m..... (Local) ....7.53 a. m.
7.12 p. m. N. Y. Aiken Augusta 7.18 a.m.
New York-New Orleans
10.02 p. m... (Via Bristol) ..7.43 a. m
10.17 p. m. New York-Atlanta 8.28 a. m.
New York-New Orleans
11.02 p. m... (Via Atlanta) ..9.28 a. m.
Charlotte-Washington
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South — North

New York-Jacksonville
3.35 a. m. ... (A. C. L.) .. 11.30 p. m.
Washington-Richmond
5.32 a. m... (Coaches only) ...
Alexandria-Quantico-Fredericksburg and local beyond
Washington-Richmond
7.57 a. m. ..... (Local) ..... 11.52 a. m.
New York-Jacksonville
10.07 a. m. ... (S. A. L.) ... 10.15 p. m.
Washington-Richmond
11.12 a. m. ..... (Local) .... 8.10 a. m.
Washington-Richmond
11.47 a. m. ..... (Express) ....6.43 p. m.
Washington-Quantico
k3.12 p. m. .... (Local) ... 5.32 p. m.k
New York-Palm Beach-Key West.
3.32 p. m. ... (A. C. L.) ... 3.10 p. m.
Washington-Atlanta-Memphis
5.17 p. m. ..... (S. A. L.) ... 12 noon
Washington-Richmond
5.27 p. m. .... (Local) .... 7.37 p. m.
New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg
8.07 p. m. ... (S. A. L.) .. 9.20 a. m.
New York-Jacksonville-Palm Beach
9.17 p. m. ... (A. C. L.) ... 9.10 a. m.
Richmond-Washington
..... (Express) .....2.13 p. m.

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# 120,000 STAND IN BREAD LINE

**More Than 1,000,000 Face Death Is Message Brought by Miss Dakesian.**

Imagine a bread line of 120,000 famished people waiting for twenty-four hours a day for the dole of food that is the sole barrier between them and death from starvation. That is the situation in Alexandropol, a city in Russian Armenia, according to Miss Hermine Dakesian, a pretty Armenian girl, one of the survivors of four years

MISS HERMINE DAKESIAN.

of the horrors of Turkish massacres and deportations. Saved by an American woman, she has come to this country and entered Oberlin College.

With her came fourteen other Armenian girls in charge of Miss Adelaide S. Dwight, a Near East Relief worker who has been instrumental in helping to save hundreds of thousands of their people from death by starvation. Miss Dwight, who is not given to exaggeration and has seen conditions at first hand, says more than a million people are facing death by starvation in Armenia and will perish unless America aids.

Herself an eyewitness to the slaughter of hundreds of helpless women and children by the Turks and a victim of the deportations, Miss Dakesian, an unusually pretty girl, says there is untold suffering in Armenia and Syria. She praises the efforts of the Near East Relief, formerly the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, to save as many of these people as possible. At Erivan, the capital of the Armenian republic, one hot meal is given out daily, and by this relief alone the city's death rate has been cut from a thousand daily to an average of twenty. At Alexandropol, where the refugees from Turkish Armenia were driven by thousands, the situation is appalling, Miss Dakesian says. It is to avert these wholesale deaths that Near East Relief is making a nation-wide appeal for funds.

# BOY SCOUTS IN YOUNG ARMENIA

**Strangest Troop of All in Constantinople Being Made Into Good Citizens.**

American Boy Scout training is aiding prominently in the rehabilitation of hundreds of little Armenian boy refugees from the Turkish massacres, who have been organized into a scout troop in Constantinople as the solution of one of the most troublesome problems that confronted the Near East Relief workers in that city.

Hounded and driven for four years, having seen their parents and relatives slaughtered or worse by Turks and Kurds and themselves forced to beg, steal or do almost anything to eke out the barest existence, these boys had completely lost their moral sense when they finally found refuge in the Near East Relief orphanages.

The boys had been clad in rags for so long that they had forgotten how to take care of clothes. This was a tragedy when the Near East Relief had need of every pair of shoes and of every suit of clothes for new boys constantly coming in.

Then the boys were organized as Boy Scouts and given their uniforms. They began to be careful of their school clothes as well as of their uniforms.

They had been so often hungry they had come to steal without compunction. When they first entered the orphanages they continued to steal. One boy stole a purse from his American teacher. For two or three weeks after he became a Boy Scout he was obviously uneasy. One day he came to her with the purse in his hand.

"I don't want to give it back," he said reluctantly. "But I have to. I'm a Boy Scout now."

To form more scout troops to transform these little unfortunates into good citizens, is one of the reasons why the Near East Relief, 1 Madison avenue, New York city, is making its appeal for funds.

## 6-STORY FALL, BOY UNHURT

New York, March 12.—Tommy Burke, six [illegible] old, of 31 West Seventeenth Street, fell from the roof of a six story building across the street, yesterday afternoon. A patrolman, summoned by half a dozen hysterical women who had seen the accident, arrived in time to find Tommy walking out of the areaway, rubbing his elbow.

"Let me be," he advised the patrolman sulkily, "I'm late now, an' I'll be sore."

The patrolman followed the advice only after an ambulance surgeon had looked Tommy over and pronounced him whole. Clothslines had broken his fall and he had landed in a straw bank.

## REVENGE MURDER MOTIVE

Girard, Ohio, March 12.—Emil Hadasy, former Girard saloonkeeper, who was killed and buried in a snow bank near Edenburg, Pa., on Monday, was slain for revenge, according to his relatives here. They said yesterday that the $3,000 which he was believed to have had with him is still safe in the bank and that his pocketbook was un[illegible].

Alexander Rose, driver of the car which took Hadasy to his death, said that two men picked up in Youngstown, to take Hadasy to a whiskey cache, had shot the former saloon man. Associates of the dead man, however, think that it was revenge for the fact that Hadasy ran down and killed a man recently with his automobile.


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52-10c. Elizabeth Robey

### OPPOSED BY TAX BOARD

**Governor Davis Asks General Assembly to Kill Goolrick Bill**

Richmond, March 12.—Governor Davis, as chairman of the State Tax Board, sent Wednesday on behalf of that body a message to the General Assembly recommending that the Goolrick bill, reducing the tax rate on short term bonds, notes and other evidences of debt from an aggregate of $1.10 on the $100 for the State and localities to 75 cents, provided they are stamped by court clerks for a year or more, be not passed.

Auditor of Public Accounts C. Lee Moore, a member of the board by virtue of his office as the State's chief fiscal officer, did not concur in the views expressed by the majority. Besides the Governor and Mr. Moore, Judge William F. Rhea, chairman of the State Corporation Commission, is a member of the board.

The measure referred to has passed the Senate and is now on the calendar of the House on its third reading.

### FLEE IN STORM OF SHOTS

**Three Men Wounded When Robbers Hold up Canton, Ohio, Restaurant**

Canton, Ohio, March 12.—Three men were wounded in an exchange of shots when five armed automobile bandits held up the restaurant of Steve Boldi, Columbia Heights, Massillon, Wednesday morning and escaped with $5,000 in cash.

More than a score of shots were said to have been fired. The wounded are: Mike Bock, waiter, who is reported to die from wounds; Eustros Carages, waiter, shot in shoulder, but not serious and one of the bandits' gang, who was carried away by his comrades.

When the five men entered the restaurant and demanded the money Bock and Carages seized revolvers and opened fire. Boldi had drawn the $5,000 from the bank preparatory to cashing checks for steel workers' pay.


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### FREE FOR ALL FIGHT

**Freshmen Had Captured Sophomore President And Held Him in Handcuffs**

New York, March 12.—Police reserves from three stations were summoned Wednesday night to quell a free for all fight which broke out in a Columbus Avenue restaurant when Columbia sophomores attempted to break up a dinner staged by the freshman class.

Six arrests were made and several scores of eyes blacked before the dinner proceeded.

Trouble had been brewing since yesterday when the freshmen captured the sophomore class president and kept him in hiding until last night, when he was brought to the restaurant in handcuffs.

The second year men who had been trailing their leader since his capture, heard of the plan for his public discomfiture and were on hand when the first diners arrived.

Seizing some of the freshmen, they threw them into taxicabs, took them into the heart of Central Park and dumped them on slush covered drives, returning for more captives. Other first year men were trussed up and dragged with ropes to a smaller park near by, where they were tied to benches.

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